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Sir:

PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time for filing a response to the October 5, 2001 Final Office Action issued in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the October 5, 2001 Final Office Action was originally due January 5, 2002. Applicants hereby request a three-month extension of time. The required fee for a three-month extension of time is FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLARS (\$460.00) for a small entity. Applicants have previously established small entity status and such status is still applicable. Applicants enclose a check in the sum of FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLARS (\$460.00) to cover this fee. Accordingly, a response to the October 5, 2001 Final Office Action is now due April 5, 2002 and applicants are concurrently filing a Notice of Appeal.

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REMARKS

With the filing of this Petition, the subject application is still pending and applicants are concurrently filing a Notice of Appeal. Accordingly, the Notice of Appeal is being timely filed.

No fee, other than the FOUR HUNDRED AND SIXTY DOLLAR (\$460.00) fee for filing a Notice of Appeal, is deemed necessary. However, if any additional fee is required, authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

Respectfully submitted,

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